

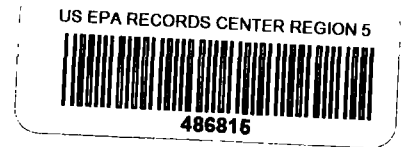
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August 15, 1984

Mr. Larry C. Boettcher, P.E.
John Sexton Contractors Company
1815 South Wolf Road
Hillside, Illinois 60162

Dear Mr. Boettcher:

As per our telephone conversation of August 8, 1984, I am confirming my request to conduct site inspections at three John Sexton Landfills located in Hinsdale, Bensenville and Lansing, Illinois.

The firm of Ecology and Environment, Inc. has been retained by the U.S. Environmental Protection Agency under contract 68-01-6692 for the purpose of evaluating candidate sites for the National Priorities List under the Comprehensive Environmental Response Compensation and Liability Act (CERCLA), better known as Superfund.

We had tentatively set September 6, 1984 as the date to meet in your office in Hillside and discuss the three sites prior to the site visits the following week. These dates and times will be confirmed over the phone one week in advance.

Sampling of the groundwater, surface water and/or leachate will most likely take place at all three landfills. Please send me, in writing, a list of your needs prior to our sampling, i.e., will split samples be needed and should we supply all bottles. Also, can you please send me the most recent site sketches showing locations of groundwater monitoring wells.

As I stated in our phone conversation, I will postpone my sampling project, if your quarterly sampling will be conducted in the near future.

I have attached a copy of the Letter of Introduction provided by the U. S. EPA for Ecology and Environment employees engaged in field investigation work, which outlines the statutory basis for such inspections. Also attached is a copy of the confidentiality

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memorandum that all Ecology and Environment employees have signed.
So you have a better understanding of the questions we need to ask, I
have also attached a copy of the site inspection form.

If you have any further questions, please do not hesitate to call me.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in cursive script, appearing to read "Daniel J. Cozza".

Daniel J. Cozza

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